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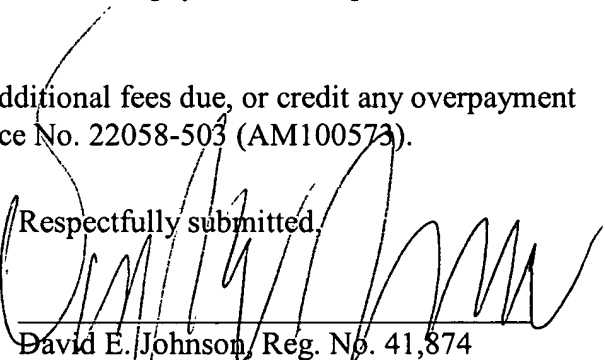
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Applicants hereby request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 for the above-referenced patent application. Enclosed are the following:

1. Response to Office Action mailed September 22, 2004 (13 pages);
2. Petition for extension of time (1 page);
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